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DECLARATION IN SUPPORT OF RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING ITEM(S)

I, John Remon Wenzel, declare as follows:

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- 2. It is part of my duties to review carefully every patent application just before it is filed in the Patent and Trademark Office to assure its completeness.
- 3. On Thursday, December 6, 2001, I carefully counted and noted each sheet of paper filed in the above noted application, and then checked the filing receipt with a black ink mark to confirm the completeness of each item. Among other items, I carefully counted and checked that 98 sheets of drawings bearing 98 drawing

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Figures were being filed, and that this was verified by "BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS" section of the application (pp 13-16).

- 4. The application, as checked by me, was then taken to the USPTO and filed at the Attorney's Window, on December 6, 2001.
- 5. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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